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SUBJECT: COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT (CD): US CONSULTA-
TIONS WITH UNGA PRESIDENT MOJSOV ON CD MEMBERSHIP

REF: STATE 228314

1. DELEGATION IS ANXIOUS THAT INFORMAL AGREEMENT BE
REACHED ON ADDITIONAL MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT
TO PRESENT TO MOJSOV ON HIS ARRIVAL HERE TENTATIVELY
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, IN ORDER TO MEET DEADLINE OF OPENING
OF 33RD UNGA. IF DELEGATION PROCEEDS AS PER INSTRUCTIONS
REFTEL WITH POSITION THAT EQUITABLE BALANCE OF COMMITTEE
ON DISARMAMENT REQUIRES SELECTION OF SRI LANKA OR INDO-
NESIA (STRONG PREFERENCE INDONESIA) PLUS EUROPEAN NEUTRAL,
RATHER THAN INDONESIA PLUS SRI LANKA, THE QUESTION WILL
UNDOUBTEDLY ARISE DURING THE NEXT FEW DAYS AS TO WHAT
EUROPEAN NEUTRAL U.S. HAS IN MIND. MOST SENSIBLE ARRANGE-
MENT WOULD APPEAR TO BE AUSTRIA AS EUROPEAN NEUTRAL
WITH FINNISH NATIONAL DESIGNATED AS SECRETARY OF COMMITTEE
ON DISARMAMENT.

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2. RECOGNIZE THIS REQUIRES CONSULTATION WITH MEMBERS OF
COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT UNDER ARTICLE 120(C), BUT BE-
LIEVE IT WOULD NOT BE PREMATURE TO APPROACH THE SEC GEN
THRU BUFFUM TO SEE WHAT HIS REQUIREMENTS WOULD BE TOWARD
PUTTING FORWARD A FINN, PRESUMABLY PASTINEN, AS
SECRETARY OF THE COMMITTEE. THIS, OF COURSE, WOULD IMPLY

U.S. SUPPORT IN CD IF SUCH CONSULTATIONS WERE HELD ON
SUCH AGREEMENT BUT BELIEVE THIS WOULD BE WORTHWHILE IN
VIEW OF DESIRABILITY OF WINDING UP ENTIRE MATTER
PROMPTLY. VANDEN HEUVEL

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